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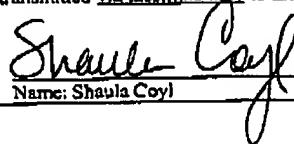
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Applicants respectfully request that the United States Patent and Trademark Office provide them with the status of this application. The application was filed on July 31, 2001 and to date we have not received the first Office Action.

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Should any questions or matters remain, which the Examiner believes could be resolved in a telephone interview, the Examiner is requested to telephone the Applicants' undersigned attorney.

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